



General Assembly

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Amendment

LCO No. 8481

Offered by:

REP. CARSON, 108th Dist.

To: Subst. House Bill No. 6754

File No. 778

Cal. No. 244

***"AN ACT CONCERNING NATURAL RESOURCES PROGRAMS OF
THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION."***

1 After line 621, insert the following and renumber the remaining
2 section accordingly:

3 "Sec. 19. Section 5-249 of the general statutes is repealed and the
4 following is substituted in lieu thereof:

5 (a) Any state employee who is an active volunteer firefighter or
6 member of a volunteer ambulance service or company [may, with the
7 authorization of his appointing authority, be permitted to respond]
8 shall be entitled to receive full pay for time spent responding to fire
9 calls or ambulance calls during [his] such employee's regular hours of
10 employment without loss of pay, vacation time, sick leave or earned
11 overtime accumulation, provided the employee receives prior
12 authorization to respond to such calls from the employee's appointing
13 authority.

14 (b) Any state employee who is a certified disaster service volunteer

15 of the American Red Cross may, with the authorization of [his] such
16 employee's supervisor, be granted a leave not to exceed fourteen days
17 in each year to participate in specialized disaster relief services for the
18 American Red Cross, upon the request of the American Red Cross,
19 without loss of pay, vacation time, sick leave or earned overtime
20 accumulation.

21 (c) Any state employee who is an active volunteer firefighter or
22 member of a volunteer ambulance service or company may, with the
23 authorization of [his] such employee's appointing authority, be
24 allowed to attend training sessions or drills during [his] such
25 employee's regular hours of employment without loss of pay, overtime
26 accumulation or sick leave."